

STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT
MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

STATE North Carolina

PROFESSIONAL MEDICAL STAFF

Medical Doctors - 1

Provides consultation to staff, providers, professional associations, utilization review committees, other State agencies regarding medical matters.
Provides consultation on difficult claims.

Doctor of Dental Surgery - 1/2

Provides same service for dental program as those listed for Medical Doctor.

Registered Pharmacist - 1

Provides service in pharmacy program as outlined under Medical Doctor.

Registered Nurses - 1

Reviews utilization review reports, contractor reports on utilization of service, patient and provider profiles. Investigates and reports on patterns of over-utilization. Provides consultation on provider fee up-dates.

Health Administrators - 1

Provides program coordination and liaison with contractor, State and Federal Agencies and/or agents, providers, associations of health care professionals. Reviews, analyses Federal and State regulations to ensure program compliance and maintenance of State Plan.

Deputy Director of Medical Assistance - 1

Responsible for assisting Director with overall management and administration of Medical Assistance Program.

Director of Medical Assistance - 1

Responsible for overall management and administration of Medical Assistance Program.

Assistant Director for Medical Policy and Utilization Control - 1

Evaluates utilization patterns and present medical policy for purposes of proposing, implementing and evaluating those activities structured to reduce unnecessary use of Medicaid services, reviews and updates Medicaid medical policy, provides support in the areas of program integrity, community based services and changes in the level of care of Medicaid recipients in nursing homes and ensures medical review of nursing homes are carried out consistent with federal regulations.

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Monitors nursing home utilization review activity and grants prior approval for level of care changes recommended by utilization review committees and by on-site inspection of care review teams.

Registered Nurse - 1

Responsible for prior approval of services requested under the Community Alternatives Program for Adults and the Mentally Retarded.

Registered Nurse - 1

Responsible for monitoring and directing utilization review activities to assure compliance with state and federal requirements.

Registered Nurse - 3

Reviews inpatient hospital stays that exceed accepted lengths of stay for diagnosis, reviews SUR reports and medical records, reviews reports on inspection of care reviews for nursing homes and mental hospitals and monitors for corrective action.

Registered Nurse - 5

Provides for Medicaid program integrity by detecting, investigating, reporting, and referring Medicaid fraud, abuse, and overutilization by providers and recipients participating in the Medicaid program.

Registered Pharmacist (Supervisor) - 1

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Clerical Staff - 7

Support above professional staff.